STATE OF MINNESOTA OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIV EHEARINGS FOR THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Joint Petition of Heron Lake BioEnergy, LLC and Federated Rural Electric Association to Serve Heron Lake BioEnergy Ethanol Plant

FOURTH PREHEARING ORDER

WHEREAS, Interstate Power and Light Company, Heron Lake BioEnergy, and Federated Rural Electric Association jointly requested, by letter dated May 26, 2006, that the filing date for the Prefiled Direct Testimony be extended to June 12, 2006, and that the other filing dates for Rebuttal and Surrebuttal Testimony be extended by one week; and

WHEREAS, good cause has been shown for such a continuance;

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the schedule in this matter is hereby revised as follows:

Prefiled Direct Testimony June 12, 2006

Prefiled Rebuttal Testimony June 26, 2006

Prefiled Surrebuttal Testimony July 7, 2006

The Second Prehearing Conference shall remain scheduled for July 12, 2006, at 2:30 p.m. via telephone conference call, and the Evidentiary Hearings shall remain scheduled for July 31, August 1, and August 2, 2006.

The parties are reminded to inform the Administrative Law Judge by June 15, 2006, of their preference regarding the hearing location.

All other provisions of the First Prehearing Order shall remain in effect.

Dated: May 31, 2006

s/Barbara L. Neilson

BARBARA L. NEILSON Administrative Law Judge